out Defendant Going on Stand.

CASE IS DRAWING SWIFTLY TO CLOSE

Version That Sam Schepps Gave to Friends in Hot Springs Read Into Record to Show That Gamblers Are Guilty of Killing Rosenthal.

the record something relating to Beck-er's bank accounts, a line of testimony heretofore blocked by Justice Gox. Mr.

War in Balkans Is Near.

PEOPLE ADVISED TO LEAVE CITY

Reports of Many Minor Engagements While Opposing Forces Are Manoeuvring for Position-Rival Fleets Are Active in Blockades and Bombardments.

Schepps told his friends in Hot Springs, Ark., about the murder of Herman Rosenthal was read into the record to-day at the trial of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker, who is charged with instigating the crime.

"I don't want you fellows to think we killed a man who was of any account." Schepps told Postmaster Johnson, of Hyt Springs, according to

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Johnson's testimony before the commission sent to Hot Springs to exmission sent to Hot Springs to examine him and other persons.

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Brawing Swiftly to Close.

Thirteen witnesses, few of whom semained more than a few minutes on the stand, testified to-day and brought the case swiftly toward its close. Indications at adjournment were that the defense would rest to-morrow without placing Becker on the stand, notwithstanding previous announcement by the accused policeman's lawyer that it had been decided to have him testify.

John F. McIntyre. Becker's chief counsel said to-night he wanted as witnesses the four gunmen charged with shooting Rosenthal to death. Mr. McIntyre said he had been disappointed also in procuring the testimony of William Sharpiro, driver of the murder car.

Among to-day's witnesses were five policemen, three of whom testified that the raid on Rosenthal's gambling house by Becker's. strong-arm squad last April was not a "fake," as the State charges, but was made two days after they had procured evidence of gambling on the gremises. All five declared they had not heard the conversation then between Becker and Mrs. Rosenthal. Which Mrs. Rosenthal testified to the town of Servia, where a big hattle is expected shortly.

Two inmates of the 10mbs prison.

fired at torpedo-boats, but took refuge in port, the warships not venturing to follow for fear of mines.

The Greek consul at Cardiff, acting under instructions from his government, is laying claim to all the Greek tonnage entering that port. Every vessel so commanded becomes the property of the Greek government, and property of the Greek government, and likely to remain so unless the Fearing unboats bombard the city.

General Beltran's forces were about General Beltran's forces were about the captain. A possible ele-

IKNOX CONSIDERS PROVEHIS CHARGE

Defense May Rest With- First Great Clash of Secretary of State Confers With Ambassador Wilson.

> CHANGE IN POLICY NOT ANTICIPATED

Washington Proposes to Keep Hands Off Southern Neighbor's Affairs So Long as American Interests Are Not Threatened-Gravity of Situation Realized.

Washington, October 21 .- Official in Washington, October 21.—Official ingerest here to-day centred upon the
situation in Mexico, where the rebellion has taken on a new and formidable phase, as a result of the revolt
of General Felix Diaz. The return to
Washington of Secretary Knox from
his Japanese trip, the presence here
of Henry Lane Wilson, ambassador to
Mexico, and interesting and important
developments in the military situation
at Vera Cruz, held by Diaz within the
past two days, were elements, that
served to concentrate attention upon
the Mexican trouble. the Mexican trouble.

mission sent to Hot Springs to examine him and other persons.

"That fellow, Rosenthal, was a dirty cur. He should have been killed. I don't want you fellows to think of me as a common murderer."

Mr. Johnson's testimony was read by John W. Hart, Becker's lawyer, with intent to support the contention that Schepps was one of the four men who desired Rosenthal's death on his own account and conspired to kill him. For two hours this afternoom. Mr. Hart read extracts from the testimony at Hot Springs. In that which went on the record was a talk between went on the record was a talk between the schepps and Michael Berkholz, of Argentas Ark., in which Schepps is alleged to have said:

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Along the Montenegrin frontier the situation appears to be unchanged.

According to information received by the Porte, Albanian received by the According to information received by the According to informatio wno has for the past year maintained a formidable rebeilion almost within sight of the Mexican capital, and General Felix Diaz, reputed to be supported by the powerful Cientifico. ported by the powerful Clentifico, which, if true, hazards the very existence of the Madero government. So iar, however, it cannot be established that these Jeaders have agreed to make common cause.

The military situation at Vera Cruz. portant pattle between the Diam forces and the Federal army comforces and the Federal army com-manded by General Beitran, it was confidently expected the important foreign interests in Vera Cruz would escape jeopardy and loss of lives of noncombatants be avoided by an

thal, which Mrs. Rosenthal testines took place.

Two inmates of the 10mbs prison awaiting trial on charges of murder, denied the testimony of James D. Hallen, the convict lawyer, who said he heard Becker tell Policeman White that the public would soon pay Becker a spension for killing that — crook Rosenthal.

Several character witnesses also were heard.

It is understeed that District Attorney Whitman, should Becker take the stand, will again endeavor to get into the record something relating to Becker the record something relating to the time the riveal accounts the two domething the two domething relating to the time the reverse the rec

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RICHMOND, VA., TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1912.

Perkins Demands That Hilles Be Called to Account.

LOSES HIS TEMPER ON WITNESS STAND

Waves Clenched Fist and Spends Most of Time in Bitter Wrangle With Committee-Ryan Tells of Giving \$450,000 to Democratic Campaign Fund in 1904.

Washington, October 21.—Emphatic denials that a huge fund had been underwritten to mance the Roosevelt pre-convention campaign, or that any money had been contributed to the money had been contributed to the fund by the International Harvester Company or the United States Steel Corporation were entered to-day by George W. Perkins, on the stand before the Senate campaign contributions committee.

tions committee.

The testimony of Mr. Perkins bristled with such expressions as "unmitigated lies," "absolutely false," "totally unfair," and "mere hot air. He denounced the charges made by Senator Boies Penrose and by Charles D. Hilles, Republican national chairman, demanding that Senator Penrose be made to prove his assertion that a \$3,000,000 fund was underwritten for the Roseveit campaign, or "like a

charge or "be dismissed from office."

Throughout most of his examination Mr. Perkins was in a wrangle with some member of the committee. Time after time, he waved a clenched fist in the air and declared that the committee "could not get away with it."

Once the committee voted to expunge a remark from the record. As he grew indignant under cross-examination, the witness would rise in his place, glaring at the committee and gesticulating violently.

Mr. Perkins accounted to the committee and charge of the committee and gesticulating violently.

Mr. Perkins accounted to the com-mittee for \$122,000, which he said he spent in the pre-convention campaign of Colonel Roosevelt.

"That was absolutely all of my con-ribution." he declared emphatically. But Mr. Perkins could not recoiled clearly the amounts he subscribed or collected for the Republican campaign Zund of 1904.

He said that the various large amounts credited to "G. W. P." on the dist of contributors to that fund 'ur-aished the committee by Elmer Dover aished the committe; by Elmer Dover were undoustedly secured by Treasurer C. N. Bitss from men whose asmes he had sugg:sted or whom he had asked personally to contribute. The witness said he "almost dropped lead" when Senator Albert J. Beveridge, of Indiana, returned to him \$10,000 which h: sent him in 1994. This was the only instance he knew of, he said, of a "man running for office returning money after he had got his hands on it. got his hands on it.

Mr. Perkins grew insignant when as was questioned as to any relations als activities in connection with the as was quistoned as to an action with the isod campaign might have had to the withholding of the suit against the Harvester Company planned by the Department of Justice in 1997. He declared that for the government to have begun the action at that time would have been "totally unfair," because the Bureau of Corporations was then investigating the company; that he went to see President Roosevelt, and that the latter, after investigating, ordered the suit delayed. His statement to Herbert Knox Smith, Commissioner of Corporations, that "we would fight," he said, meant only that the case would be fought in the courts. and had no political augminication. Mr. Perkins Jeclared that he had never asked a favor of any government official, and that he was not in politics to secure business

"Whin this campaign is over," he added, "if on the 5th of November Theodor? Roosevelt is elected, on November 6 our accounts will be all

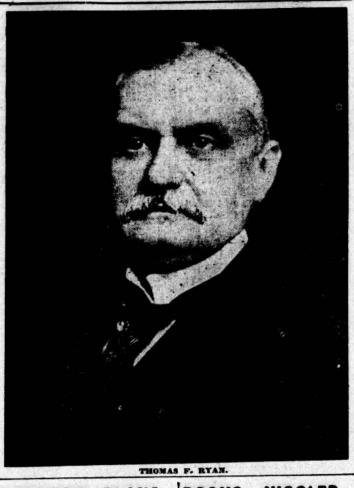
Thomas F. Ryan, the first witness of the day, told the committee that he gave \$450,000 to the Democratic na-tional fund in 1904.

Mr. Ryan said he gave between \$75,-600 and \$50,000 to the Harmon precon-vention fund this year and more than \$30,000 to the campaign of Representa-

Judge Parker. I gave probably \$50,000 in smaller contributions.

"When the end of the campaign was drawing near and it was quite apparent that Mr. Parker could not be elected some of my friends came to me and told me that the campaign would coilapse unless the committee received financial assistance. I finally agreed, in order to pay the party workers and preserve the finingrity of the party, to furnish \$350,000. This made a total of \$450,000 I gave throughout the campaign. This was a personal contribution and did not represent any one except myself.

Gives \$450,000 to Aid Parker



FUTURE CAMPAIGN UNCERTAIN

Oyster Bay, Governor May Resume.

Princeton, N. J., October 21 .- Upon the news to-morrow of the effect on Colonel Roosevelt of his trip from | books of the International Association Chicago, will depend largely Governor Wilson's plan for the rest of the campaign. The Democratic nominee said to-night his speaking plans for the present were "up in the air."

For October 31 a big meeting is planned at Madison Square Garden. New York, but the nominee said to-

parade of college men supporting him.

The Governor said his present intention was to do no more speaking until Colonel Roosevelt recovered. He intimated that if the Colonel was able to resume active charge of his campaign, and direct it from Oyster Bay he might consider that sufficient reason for going into active campaigning himself, though he did not explain whether he would do it by statements, speeches or messages.

on talking tariff to the Governor.

"I could stand almost any injury," laughed the Governor. "I found I could not get away from politics even on the football field. Governor Wilson was informed to

night that Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, would address the Woodrow Wilson Club of Princeton University Thursday night.

"I shall certainly want to hear him."
remarked the Governor, "but on second thought it might be dangerous. I wonder if I could go just as a part of the audience without being called upon to make a speech." The Governor will go to Trenton to-

cheon with Mr. Perkins still on the stand.

Mr. Ryan Gave 925,000.

Mr. Ryan told the committee that he shouldered \$350,000 of the debts of the Democratic National Committee in 1904.

"Early in the exmpaign." he said, "I gave \$350,000 to the fund, although I was opposed to the nomination of Judge Parker. I gave probably \$56,000 in smaller contributions.

"When the end of the said."

Sacramento, Cal., October 21.—Governor Judnas, Democratic vice-presidential nominee. Criticized Governor Johnson, or California, his opponent on the Progressive treatet, in an open-air meeting here late to-day. His reference to Governor Johnson was made after the Democratic nominee had been welcomed to Sacramento.

Johnson, Governor Johnson's father.

"Governor Johnson came into our State and gave our people a lot of actice about running Indiana," said Governor Marshall. "He had a lot to say about how backward we were and how much we lacked progress, but I am not going to attempt to give you California people any advice in this connection. I think you are competent enough and sensible enough to handle your own affairs without suggestions from me.

Money Was Expended to De-

BOOKKEEPER TESTIFIES

If Colonel Directs Fight From She Swears That Separate Records Were Kept for Purpose of Concealment.

> Indianapolis, Ind., October 21. Reading from the financial account of Bridge and Structural Iron Work ers for the period when John J. Mc-Namara, the secretary-treasurer, was conducting a "campaign of explosions" about the country, Miss Mary C. Dye former bookkeeper for McNamara, testifled at the "dynamite conspiracy" trial, that one record of money expended was kept for the union officials and executive board members, while a different record was kept for the public and for members of the union generally.

A regular system of "juggling" the accounts, the government charges, was maintained to conceal payments for dynamiting expenses.

he might consider that sumctent rear son for going into active campaigning himself, though he did not explain whether he would do it by statements, speeches or messages.

The Governor left his correspondence in the afternoon and went to University Field to witness the practice of the football team. He was there fifteen minutes, and would have stayed longer, but one of the coaches insisted on staling targets.

Miss Dye's testimony was that a work of recording expenditures was in force prior to 1909, or until the executive board decided to allow and is close to the fourth rip on the executive board decided to allow right. It will be a simple matter to remove the builet later should Coloral to the football team. He was there in the sale of the Los Angeles Times under the control of the coaches insisted that the coloral resulting the control of the coaches insisted that the coloral resulting the control of the coaches insisted that the coloral resulting the control of the coaches insisted that the coloral resulting the control of the coaches insisted the coaches insis were given, but in the records published in the union magazine less than half the amounts were charged to the individuals, while the difference was charged to "emergency fund, by order of the executive board."

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of the executive board."

The witness said that for the fiscal year ending in 1909, \$1,593 was paid to Frank C. Webb, of New York, while \$1,372 was recorded in McNamara's report to the union; \$4,970 was paid to Hockin, while \$2,043 was reported to the union, and \$2,542 was paid to J. J. McNamara, while \$1,387 was reported to the union as having been paid to him, the difference in each case having been charged to the emergency fund.

The government alleges \$20,000 was The government alleges \$20,000 was represented in aggregate differences of the trip. Colonel Rosevelt will and was used for dynamiting pureager to plunge into the work of Years and one of the chief co

The witness stated that prior to the campaign, and one of the chief commonthly allowances to McNamara cerns of those about him is to profunds were charged up to donations vent him from undertaking too much.

A dozen foremen of structural from and steel erection jobs, where explosions occurred may be called to testify to-morrow. They are to be questioned about details of explosions which McManigal confessed he caused.

MAY GUARD THE POLLS

Amost in Nicaraguan Election.
Washington, October 21.—American marines and bluejackets, whose activities were largely responsible for the crushing of the recent serious rebeilton in Nicaragua, may soon be edied upon to preserve order at the polis when the Nicaraguans, by direct vote, choose a President and Vice-President. It became known to-day that the United States proposes to have guards on hand waless the Nicaraguans proveniment can

ROOSEVELT WEARY AFTER LONG RIDE

Otherwise He Shows No Ill Effects of Homeward Journey.

SILENT CROWDS WATCH HIS TRAIN

Patient Spends Most of His Time in Sleep, and Physicians Believe He Will Reach Oyster Bay This Morning in Good Condition-Rest Is Essential.

On Board Roosevelt Car, Octobes 21.—Although ex-President Roosevelt was weary from his all-day ride from Chicago to Pittsburgh, he showed so other ill effects on his arrival there to-night, and the physicians who are accompanying him were confident be would reach Oyster Bay in almost as good condition as when he left Merce Hospital.

Hospital.

Mrs. Roosevelt and the physicians while besteving the Colonel had sufficient strength for the trip, nevertheless were concerned as to the outcome when the time came for his departure, and during the first few hours they watched the patient closely farmy signs of a setback. As the day wore on it became plain he was resting comfortably on the big brass had in his stateroom, the tension was relaxed, and to-night every one on the Colonel's car was breathing more castly.

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Colonel Roosevelt spent the day in seading magazines, talking and sleeping. As soon as he was brought to his car in Chicago h; went to bed and remained there throughout the day, He said in the morning he did not feel like sleeping, but the swaying of the; car tired him, and he slept for several hours. Hardships of the journey were increased by several several joits, caused by the imperfect actions. joits, caused by the imperfect action of a brake on the Colonel's car. To Colonel was suffering from nervol exhaustion when he left Chicago.

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Progress of the Roosyvelt train was
watched by silent crowds. At many
of the stations people were out to
see the train pass through. They
brought flowers and fruits to the
wounded man and sent him messages
of greeting. There was no cheering,
and the people talked in subduct
tones. It all formed a curious cesstrast to every other trip which Cohonel Roosevelt has made during the
campaign.

At Lima Ohio, there was the only

At Lima, Ohio, there was the suggestion of a cheer during the A large crowd had gathered at station, and some one started a ch Colonel Cecil Lyon, of Texas, the President's traveling companion was standing on the platform, his hand. The people understoo the cheer died away.

Builetine Issued. Dr. Alex Lambert, of New York, which Dr. Scurry L. Terrell, of Dalls Texas, is caring for Colonel Rosewe issued bulletins during the day, bethey merely reported that the Colon was resting easily and that his coldition was unchanged.

Aided by the X-ray examination and yesterday Dr. Lambert was all the determine the position of the builty of the pull

to determine the position of the bull by an external examination to-day.

Chicago, October 21.—Colonel velt's train, which had been so

Colonel Received a part area by Colonel Recil Lyon and Assis Chief of Police Berman Schoetzief. Colonel and been provided with a leasy chair, which he expected to a martin he became tired, when